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FM AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 5675

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: GT

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR USG ASSISTANCE RE CRASH OF GUATEMALAN AIRCRAFT

REF: SNYDER-PLATT TELECON APRIL 23, 1977

FOR ARA/CEN MARK PLATT

1. FORMER FOREIGN MINISTER JORGE SKINNER-KLEE INFORMED EMBASSY APRIL 23 THAT AS OF 2300 HRS APRIL 22 INFORMATION FROM GUATEMALAN AMBASSADOR IN MEXICO CITY WAS THAT MEXICAN AUTHORITIES HAD NOT LOCATED AIRCRAFT OF JORGE TABUSH. HE REQUESTED THAT DEPARTMENT ASK FAA TO RECONFIRM INFORMATION RECEIVED BY FAA SOUTHERN DISTRICT THAT AIRCRAFT HAD CRASHED SOUTH OF VERACRUZ.
 2. IF MEXICAN AUTHORITIES CANNOT CONFIRM THAT CRASHED AIRCRAFT HAS BEEN LOCATED SKINNER-KLEE REQUESTS THAT US SEARCH BE RESUMED AND IF FAA IS WILLING THAT ITS SPECIALLY EQUIPPED AIRCRAFT CONTINUE SEARCH INTO MEXICO. IF FAA IS WILLING ENTER MEXICO SKINNER-KLEE WILL THEN SECURE THE NECESSARY MEXICAN GOVERNMENT PERMISSION FOR US AIRCRAFT TO OVERFLY MEXICO.
 3. AIRCRAFT IS CESSNA 421 TWIN ENGINE GOLDEN EAGLE. IT DEPARTED BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS ON TUESDAY APRIL 19 SOMETIME BETWEEN 1:39 AND 1:59 PMM TABUSH WAS FLYING ALONE AND FILED FLIGHT PLAN IN
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BROWNSVILLE FOR NONSTOP FLIGHT TO GUATEMALA. TAIL LETTERS OF
AIRCRAFT ARE TAB.
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Message Attributes

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